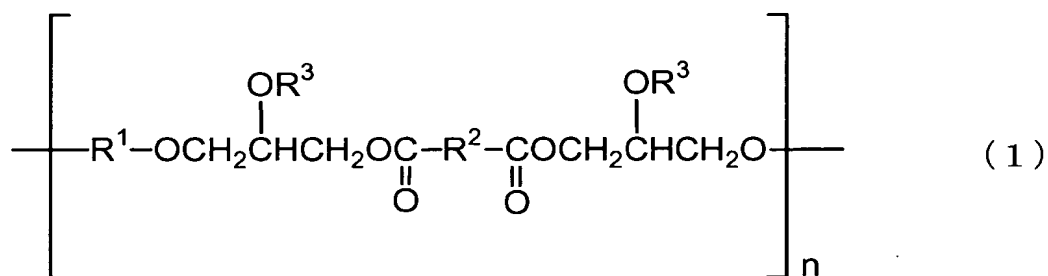


# ABSTRACT

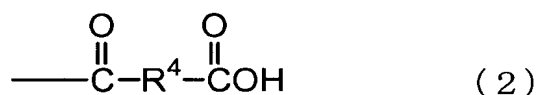
A modified epoxy resin containing a repeating unit represented by the following general formula (1):

[Chemical Formula 1]



[wherein R<sup>1</sup> represents a divalent organic group which is a diglycidyl ether-type epoxy compound residue, R<sup>2</sup> represents a divalent organic group which is a dibasic acid residue, R<sup>3</sup> represents a hydrogen atom or a group represented by the following general formula (2):

[Chemical Formula 2]



(wherein R<sup>4</sup> represents an acid anhydride residue),  
and n represents an integer of 1 or greater].